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Dear Sonneborn:

As you have possibly heard, I am here in Princeton, as according to my original plan, because Zirkle's project of getting me to work with him at Chicago is still in the air, due to my nationality.

I am writing in order to find out whether you know of any position suitable for an Italian girl, a zoologist, who got an M.S. degree at Smith College in 1941, then started working toward a Ph.D. at Harvard, and had to suspend a few months ago because of economic conditions. If you happen to know or hear of any instructorship in some college or university, please let me know.

I am myself working a little disorderly, due to the uncertainty of the future. I have not yet heard about my appointment for next year; however, I think this is due to Cleland's disease. In spare time, I am reading more about evolution and natural selection, and improving my very weak biological background.

I gave the article on bacterial mutations to Rhoades for Genetics. McClung has a copy of it, and if you have time to take a look at it I shall be very pleased to know of your criticisms.

I hope it is not as hot in Bloomington as it is here. Princeton weather is very damp, but the town is beautiful, and near the great city.

Best regards,

Luria

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